

## RESOLUTION 34-14

### A RESOLUTION ADOPTING RULES OF CIVILITY FOR BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONER MEETINGS AND PROCEEDINGS

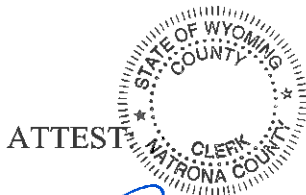
WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Natrona County, on behalf of the County and its citizens, recognizes the importance and necessity of the public's rights under both the Wyoming and United States constitutions to address its elected officials, to discuss matters of public concern, and to offer differing opinions on such matters; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Natrona County also recognize the necessity of conducting meetings and proceedings in an orderly and civil manner and in such a way that all citizens and participants are treated with dignity and respect; and


WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners hereby finds that the attached Rules of Civility are necessary to ensure civil and orderly proceedings and discussions and to protect the rights of all participants.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners of Natrona County hereby adopts the Rules of Civility, attached hereto and marked as "Exhibit A," for all meetings and proceedings effective immediately.

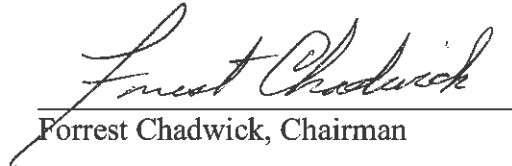
DATED this 16th day of September, 2014.



ATTEST

  
Renea Vitto, Natrona County Clerk

My term of office expires  
January 5, 2015

  
Forrest Chadwick, Chairman

## NATRONA BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETINGS

### **“RULES OF CIVILITY”**

These rules shall be applicable at all regularly scheduled BOCC meetings to be applied at the sole discretion of the Chairman. An exception for one speaker will not entitle another to the same exception.

- Speakers openings will be in the following format: “Mr. Chairman, members of the board” or other similar respectful salutation.
- Each speaker will be allowed but one opportunity to speak.
- Comments/testimony will be limited to 3 minutes.
- Outbursts from the audience will not be tolerated.
- Profanity at no time is permissible.
- Yelling or screaming will not be tolerated.
- Avoid theatrics/grandstanding.
- Stay on point, when testifying address the issue at hand.
- No personal attacks. Challenge ideas, not people.

Those individuals unable to conduct themselves civilly and in compliance with these rules may be asked to sit down or removed from the meeting room.